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4 **BEFORE THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION**
5 **OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON**

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7 IN THE MATTER OF ENFORCEMENT)
8 ACTION AGAINST)
9 JOE WHEELER)
Respondent.)
_____)

PDC CASE NO.: 02-625

**ORDER DENYING REQUEST
FOR RECONSIDERATION OF
FINAL ORDER IMPOSING FINE**

10 **COMMISSION'S CONSIDERATION**

11 The Respondent, Joe Wheeler, filed a Request for Reconsideration with the Public
12 Disclosure Commission on November 15, 2002, requesting the Commission to reconsider
13 its Final Order Imposing Fine, initially entered July 25, 2002, in the amount of \$300,
14 assessed against the Respondent in PDC Case No. 02-625. The initial order became a final
15 order on November 5, 2002, the date the Respondent was sent notice that the Commission
16 made no motion on October 29, 2002 to change the initial order from the brief enforcement
17 hearing. The Request for Reconsideration was presented to the Public Disclosure
18 Commission at its meeting on December 4, 2002.

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20 The Respondent appeared at the hearing in writing. The Commission was given a
21 copy of the final order from the enforcement hearing, a letter from the Respondent
22 requesting a reconsideration of the final order, a copy of a letter from the Respondent's
23 spouse and a copy of a letter originally sent by the Respondent to request a review of the
24 initial order. The Commission made no motion, however, to reconsider its Final Order
25 Imposing Fine.
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1 **ORDER**

2 Based upon the foregoing, the Commission orders as follows:

3 That the Respondent's Request for Reconsideration of the Commission's Final Order
4 Imposing Fine, initially entered July 25, 2002, that became a final order on November 5,
5 2002, is denied.
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7 **JUDICIAL REVIEW**

8 Pursuant to RCW 34.05.470(3), the time for filing a petition for judicial review does
9 not commence until the agency disposes of the petition for reconsideration.

10 An order denying reconsideration is not subject to judicial review. RCW 34.05.470(5).
11 Proceedings for judicial review of the Final Order Imposing Fine may be instituted by filing a
12 petition in superior court according to the procedures specified in chapter 34.05 RCW, Part V,
13 Judicial Review and Civil Enforcement. The petition for judicial review of the Final Order
14 Imposing Fine shall be filed with the appropriate court and served on the Public Disclosure
15 Commission, the Office of the Attorney General, and all parties within thirty days after service
16 of the Final Order Imposing Fine, as provided in RCW 34.05.542, or within thirty days after
17 service of the order denying the petition for reconsideration.
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19 The order denying the petition for reconsideration was served on you the day it was
20 deposited in the United States mail. RCW 34.05.010(19).
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22 DATED THIS 12th day of December, 2002.

23 FOR THE COMMISSION:

24 /s/ _____

25 VICKI RIPPIE, Executive Director
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